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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Two only

Part B for March 1942

SUBJECT.

Enemy Subjects - Mr & Mrs. Hans Doering

J. M. Krishnan
12.3.42

Mr. H. Doring.

625/W.

Mrs. Hans K. Doring, 4 Church Road

Mysore, 8-9-1941.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
9 SEP 1941
No. 211.334

1322

Dear Mr. da Costa,

1) I am writing over to you, as you are the only person of the Mysore Govt. who is known to me, I therefore want to ask you a favour.

2) I heard from the Jewish Relief Association, Bombay, that if the Mysore Government would take Mr. Doring back, they would approach the right instance and get my husband released. Could you please be so kind as to lay this before the Dewan, that a letter saying that he has still his appointment would be sent over to me and I would in turn send it over to the Jewish Relief Association,, that immediately action could be taken.

3) I would be immensely grateful to you, if I could get this letter as soon as possible.

Thanking you ever so much in anticipation.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. H. Doring.

4) Submitted
If approved, this will be forwarded to the Development Secretary for favour of disposal

Recd 9/9/41

5)

6) R/7 9/9/41 Secy

455-39 Sec I-C

Para 2) is noted for perusal and orders.

In G.O. dated 15th July 1941 Mr. Hans Doering, a German Artist

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Re 455-39-1

Mr Hans Doering

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was appointed as Expert designer for the C.T. Institute on a pay of Rs. 200/- p.m. subject to certain Conditions. It is now understood that he was interned in July 1940.

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Submitted.

Ags 17/9 Dras)

Ch Dev W/C)

In favour of disposal

WO 18/9/41

CB (Ags) For a note. 17/9

MS 19/9

Mr. Hans Doering

Serial No.

Mr. Hans Doering is a Jewish Refugee. He was working in the Forest Research Laboratory when he was first interned in Sept. 1939 a soon as the War broke out. The Resident enquired on 22nd Sept. 39 whether this Govt will continue to employ Mr. Doering in the post he held prior to his internment, if he is conditionally released and this Govt replied that they will continue to employ him in the post to which he had been proposed prior to his internment. Subsequently the Darling Committee issued an Exemption Order on 25th Octr. 39 in respect of Doering and he was released. He was appointed in the Forest Research Laboratory.

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He was re-interned in Jan. 40 and the Resy informed that the Govt of India regret that they are unable to modify their orders of re-internment in the cases of Krumbiegel, Schmidt & Hans Doering.

L & J.

Kind reference is also invited to this Govt letter to Mr. Doering on his reply thereto in Dec. 40.

X & Z

So far this Govt are concerned they have no objection to the re-employment of M. Doering, as seen from the correspondence. Though Mr. Krumbiegel has since been released as Mr. Schmidt has been

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Mr. Hans Doering.

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transfers to the Park Settlement at Kodaikanal
no action has been taken by the Aliens Advisory
Committee re: Mr. Doering and the reason
for the same is not known. Mrs. Doering
gets an allowance of Rs 90 p.m. from the
Central Govt for herself and her child.
Now she wants a letter from this Govt
that they will continue to supply Mr.
Doering for transmission by her to the
Jewish Relief Association for taking necessary
action. But it is for consideration whether
this Govt can give such a letter to her direct.
The case of Mr Doering has been recommended by
this Govt to no purpose. Subt for favour
and orders.

RS
23/9

This is an application from
the wife of an alien internee (Mr. Hans Doering)
a letter of authority from this
Govt. to the effect that her
husband would be taken back
to employment under this Govt in case he
is released by the Govt of India. This
letter is proposed to be utilised
(through the Jewish Relief Assn) to
press for the release of the internee.

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The Office note above gives the several stages in the action taken by the Govt: of India from time to time in regard to this individual. In this Office letter d. 28.9.39, the Residency were informed that this Govt would continue to employ Mr. Doering. On this an exemption order was issued by the Darling Committee, on 11 Oct 39 & he was released.

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In July 1940, the Govt of India, however, ordered the re-internment of Mr Hans Doering, as also Messrs G.H. Krumbiegel & Schmidt. In a way, we protested against the decision & pleaded that internment was not necessary. But we pressed the cases of Messrs Krumbiegel & Schmidt more particularly on the ground of their advanced age, a long association with Insore & exemplary conduct known to us. While the Govt of India at first refused to reconsider their decision, they later on released Mr Krumbiegel and transferred to Mr Schmidt to Parole Settlement. They have not done anything in the case of Mr Doering.

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Our association with this individual ~~do not~~ does not extend to any long period, and from

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Mr. Hans Doring

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the discussions in 9 d c. File 455-39 it does not appear, as if his services are absolutely necessary for his Govt.

In the circumstances it does not appear to be advisable to give any undertaking now, and that too to a private individual or Association, that we would take him back. We Resy. were told in Sept. 1939 that we would be prepared to continue to employ the individual, and it may be left to the Govt of India to enquire of us again, if necessary whether we are still prepared to take him back.

(The lady is given a sustenance allowance & not badly in need)

The lady may perhaps be informed politely that no letter of the kind asked for can be given to her by Govt. and that if any enquiry be received from the Govt of India or any point a reply would be sent through the formal official channels.

DEPUTY'S OFFICE
28 SEP.
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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LAW
SEP 26 1941
No 20 2 1

GB 24/9

Agree.

Chief Sec

Law Minister

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CHIEF SECRETARY
24. SEP. 1941
GOVT. OF MYSORE.

RLL 2/10/41

625/W. Hans Doring

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The letter from Mrs. Doring is addressed to the Private Secy to the Dewan. As such it is for consideration whether a reply may be sent by him or an official communication in my name. Submitted with a draft also for consideration

(The reply may be sent by the Chief Sec.)

~~Secretary, Dewan~~

QPR 3/10/41

Chief Sec) approved MK 3/10/41

3. OCT. 1941 CR GOVT. OF MYSORE.

Please retype the letter in the form of a demi-official

QPR

QPR 4/10/41

Issued 828/W & 6th Oct. 41 L. Mrs. Doring.

The file was received from the Dr. Secy. If necessary the file will be sent for the perusal of the Dr. Secy as Private Secy to Dewan and for the Dr. Resn for taking back their cheques &c.

For perusal

QPR/10

Dewan Seen. Thanks.

MK 8/10/41

6. OCT. 1941 SECY. DEV. DEPT. GOVT. OF MYSORE

Development branch for kindly taking back their ~~Cheques~~ cheques & returning the file.

10.X.41. Secy

Cheques & file taken. CB

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155-35-7.A-12

Evacuees Subjects - Mrs Mrs. Doering

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Serial No.

From The Secy to the Govt of India
F. (21-40(4)/W 2. 18th Dec. 41
Requesting to intimate whether Mrs. Doering is willing to join her husband in a Purah Centre

Subd for perusal with a letter to the I.G.P.

RS 19/12

Issued No. 12bbb/W. dt 19.12.41 to the I.G.P.

From Mr. Doering. Dehra Dun.
Letter dt 5th Jan. 42 re his transfer to a Purah Centre and taking up work for the Govt in the Purah Centre

Kind reply is invited to the recent letter from the Rly Stating that the Govt of India are not prepared to release Mr. Doering and that they propose when opportunity offers to transfer him to a Purah Centre. Reply is also invited to the note submitted by Mr. Doering.
Even if he is transferred to a Purah Centre it may not be possible to entrust with him any work since the Govt of India permission has to be obtained. In the case of Mr. Krumbiegel the Rly was addressed for such a permission. Kind attention is also invited to this office letter and the Rly reply in the matter. Subd for perusal and orders whether any reply is necessary to Mr. Doering.
Even if his transfer to a Purah Centre is not yet effected.

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1067/W Enemy Subjects. Mr & Mrs Hans Doering

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DEWAN'S OFFICE 19. JAN. 1942 6222

16. JAN. 19[illegible] CHI[illegible] GOVT. OF MYSORE.

I've received from the D.G. of Police in connection with an enquiry from the Residency regarding the above mentioned Hans Doering, a question whether a collection as in the case of Mr. Dorries referred to, may or may not be made in such cases. It seems to me that the choice of the Sanatorium centre is left to the Central Government

Sir
16.1.42

Briefed

I do not think it is possible to employ Mr. Doering in the lines indicated by him. The case of Mr Kaumbiegel was somewhat different. He was an old & trusted Employee of the State and his advice on matters of lay out of gardens &c was valuable.

Mr Doering cannot be treated in the same way as he was had been temporarily employed in the Forest Deptt before the War.

Law Minister & Dewan

MMS 16.1.42

Mr 17/1

Mr

20/1/42 MMS 20/1/42

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60/3 Enemy subjects. M/s Mrs. Hans Doring

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From The I.G.P. Police.

206/39-40 F.C. dt 19th Jan. 42 Stating that Mrs. Doring is willing to join her husband in a Purdah Centre.

No 7468

Subd for perusal with a reply to the Residency.

In view of the orders passed it is for consideration whether any reply is necessary to Mr. Doring.

RS 20/1

Secretariat 20/1/42

Issued Pol. 1318 dt 20th Jan. 42 to the Residency

Resubd for perusal.

RS 20/1

Secretariat 20/1

Law Minister) MS 20/1/42

MS 21/1/42

20 JAN. 19[illegible]
GOVT. OF MYSORE

828/W

Mrs. Doering,
4, Church Road, Mysore.

Madam,

With reference to your letter dated the 8th September 1941 to the Private Secy. to the Dewan requesting to be furnished with a letter from Govt. for being sent over to the Jewish Relief Association ~~Exam~~ to the effect that this Govt. would be prepared to take back Mr. Doering to their service, I am directed to state that it is regretted that it is not possible for a letter of the kind asked for being given to you. If, however, any enquiry ~~be~~ received from the Govt. of India, a reply ~~would~~ will be sent by this Govt. through the usual official channels.

I have etc.,

Chief Secy. to Govt.

828/W.

Camp: Mysore,
xxxxxxx 5th October 1941.

Mrs. Hans K. Doering,
4, Church Road,
Mysore.

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Madam,

With reference to your letter dated the 8th September 1941 to the Private Secretary to the Dewan, requesting to be furnished, with a letter from Government for being sent over to the Jewish Relief Association, to the effect that this Government would be prepared to take back Mr. Doering to their service, I am directed to state that it is regretted that it is not possible for a letter of the kind asked for being given to you.

Yours faithfully,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

CONFIDENTIAL.

W 13-40-27 956.11

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

No.F.121-40(4)/W.

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 18th December *1941*.

C.S. 18/12/41

Enemy subjects - Mr. and Mrs.Hans Doering.

SIR,

I am directed to say that the Government of India have considered the cases of Mr.Hans Doering and his wife in the light of the recommendations of the Aliens Advisory Committee. While they are not prepared to release Mr.Doering, they propose, when opportunity offers, to transfer him from the Central Internment Camp to a parole Centre, where his wife can join him. I am to request that the substance of the Government of India's decision may kindly be communicated to Mrs.Doering and this Residency informed whether she would be willing to join her husband in a parole centre.

2. I am to add that in August 1941 Mrs. Doering had expressed a desire that her husband might be transferred to a parole centre and that she might be allowed to join him there.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

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CONFIDENTIAL.

No 1264/W
- Encl

19th December 1941.

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

Enemy subjects - Mr. and Mrs. Hans Doering.

I am directed to enclose herein for information and necessary action a copy of Residency letter No.F.121-40(4)-W dated the 18th December 1941 on the above subject, and to request that the wishes of Mrs. Doering may kindly be ascertained and intimated to this office for transmission to the Residency.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

1067/W

Hans Doring - No. 523.
Central Internment Camp,
Dehra Dun.

January 5,1942.

Mr.N.Madhava Rao,
Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
13. JAN. 1942
NO. 211.639

Sir,

I kindly beg to submit the following to your consideration From a letter of my wife,dated December 23rd, I learn that the Central Government are at present considering my transfer to a Parole Centre,where my wife and child, now at Mysore,would have to join me.This information was communicated to her by an inspector of the Mysore police,C.I.D.

Ever since my internment I was looking forward to my final release to take up again my official duties with the Mysore Government.While thus a transfer to a Parole Centre will fall short of my expectations,I feel,in case it has already been acided upon,that I should best be able to continue my work from a place like Kodaikanal,Yerkaud,or another Parole Centre in Southern India.Especially,I am thinking of drafts and designs for the whole of Interior Decoration in general. The Sri Chamarajendra Technical Institute at Mysore and also the Forest Research Laboratory at Bangalore could make use of my services in a similar way.

To ensure that such a transfer to a Parole Centre in Southern India will take place,I should be most grateful for the support the Mysore Government might give to this matter.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Hans Doring

Tele gram : " POLICE."
phone : 2108.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Confidential

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

No. 206/39-40/F.C
Encl.

Bangalore, dated January 19, 1942.

FROM

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of His Highness
The Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

C.B. 19/1/42

SUBJECT.- Enemy subjects - Mr. & Mrs. HANS DOERING.

Sir,

In reply to your confidential letter No. 1264/W. dated 19-12-41, I have the honour to state that Mrs. HANS DOERING is willing to join her husband in a Parole Centre.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE
IN MYSORE.

CONFIDENTIAL.

W 13-40-28

20th January 1942.

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Enemy subjects - Mr. & Mrs. Hans Doering.

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With reference to your letter No.F.121-40(4)/W dated the 18th December 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that Mrs. Hans Doering is willing to join her hus in a Parole Centre.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government